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JOKSCH, Ferdinand

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Vienna

27 Dec 45

SCHEWTSCHUK: Interr.

Lives in XIII District, Theresienstrasse 2, Vienna. About 30-40 years old, 6'1" tall, dark eyes, wears goatee, slight build. Was Gestapo referent. Was arrested end of May by II District Russian CI. Released after about three weeks. When seized he was hiding at home of a Dr. LIST, a musician living in III District. Now lives with wife at Theresienstrasse 2, and does work as informant for II District Russian CI. Writes careful discreet reports, giving few names and incriminating no one. His reports deal mostly with overheard conversations, informal cafe gatherings, etc.. Subject was employed by the Austrian Police before 1938; transferred to the Gestapo after the annexation.

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Born 28 Dec. '06 in Vienna. Austrian. Parents, Adolf JOKSCH, Austrian, born Poplitz, Austria, 1876; Josephine nee Fahrnberger, Austrian, born Lan enwald, Austria, 1868. Married to Josephine nee AIGINGER, Austrian, born Vienna 1908. Present and permanent address Vienna XIII, Mauer, Maria Theresien Strasse 2. Worked 1934-38 Austrian Kripo in Vienna. 1938-45 employed by Gestapo in Vienna investigating Communist activities, sabotage and church matters; 1945 to present unemployed.

Description: 1.76 cm, 65 kg, erect, brown hair receding at temples, had a (sic) complexion, brown eyes, brown goatee and thin moustache.

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Another JOKSCH, (Rudolph) in Austria was condemned to death by the Peoples Court and executed for high treason and espionage in interest of a foreign power. State Cable, Bern, 21 Oct 42.

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